

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**HAZARDOUS MATERIALS/WMD INCIDENT SUPPORT PLAN**

The Department of Water Resources should be notified of any hazardous materials/WMD emergency (including radioactive) that will likely affect any surface water, dams, water wells, and waste disposal and injection wells.

DUTIES

1. The Department may be able to forewarn water users of impending problems.
2. Any stream channel alteration requires the approval of IDWR. This may be necessary during the clean-up process. An emergency waiver can be given if conditions warrant and it is requested.
3. IDWR has administrative authority to enforce safety considerations at water and tailings impoundments.
4. IDWR has administrative authority over operation and abandonment of waste disposal and injection wells, and monitoring and exploration holes.
5. IDWR has administrative authority over construction, maintenance and abandonment of water wells including monitoring wells.
6. IDWR should be consulted prior to diversion and use of water.

IDWR may be notified of spills by calling StateComm at **1-800-632-8000 or (208) 846-7610**.

AREAS OF JURISDICTION**REGION****COUNTIES**

Northern

Benewah, Bonner, Boundary, Clearwater, Idaho, Kootenai, Latah, Lewis, Nez Perce, Shoshone

Western

Ada, Adams, Boise, Canyon, Elmore, Gem, Owyhee, Payette, Valley, Washington

Southern

Blaine, Camas, Cassia, Custer, Gooding, Jerome, Lincoln, Minidoka, Twin Falls

Eastern Bannock, Bear Lake, Bingham, Bonneville, Butte, Caribou, Clark, Franklin, Fremont, Jefferson, Lemhi, Madison, Oneida, Power, Teton